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# ARMY BARRACKS (40-38N 048-38E) SHEMAKHA, AZERBAYDZHANSKAYA SSR, USSR TRANSCAUCASUS MD

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FIGURE 1. LOCATION OF ARMY BARRACKS.

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FIGURE 2. ARMY BARRACKS, SHEMAKHA, USSR,

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#### **SUMMARY**

An army barracks is located on the northwest edge of Shemakha, approximately 7 kilometers (km) northwest of the highway bridge over the Pirsagat River (Figure 1).

This secured installation is divided into administrative, barracks, storage, and drivertraining areas. It covers approximately 55 acres and contains 3 barracks, 1 administration building, 2 storage buildings, 1 maintenance building,

6 possible quarters, and 5 miscellaneous support buildings (Figures 2 and 3).

KEYHOLE missions of fair quality photography covered the area between

The presence of numerous vehicles in the motor pool during indicates that the installation was active. Lack of later interpretable coverage precludes determining its present status.

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#### DESCRIPTION OF INSTALLATION

### Road Service

The installation is on a main road between Geokchay and Baku.

### Administrative and Troop Housing Areas

Area D1 contains 6 single-story probable quarters.

Area D2 contains 1 administration building and 2 miscellaneous support buildings.

Area D3 contains 3 probable barracks in a U-shaped arrangement and 3 miscellaneous support buildings.

#### Equipment Storage/Maintenance Area

Area J contains one 130- by 100-foot main-

tenance building, one L-shaped storage building with the main wing 250 by 50 feet and a second wing 120 by 50 feet, and 1 storage building with a U-shaped main wing 220 by 30 feet, a parallel wing 110 by 30 feet, and a connecting wing 80 by 40 feet.

## Athletic Fields

Area K1 contains a probable athletic field. Area K2 contains a probable parade field.

#### Driver-Training Area

Area Mis a driver-training area with 1 turning circle for wheeled vehicles, 2 figure - 8 turning circles, and 4 parking stands.

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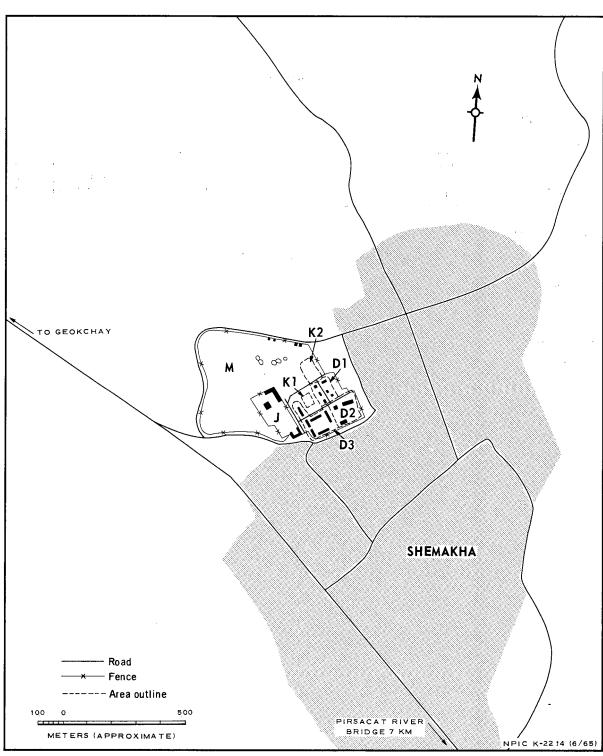


FIGURE 3. ARMY BARRACKS. Sketch compiled from

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